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that date, and so many records for excavation have been established, that the volume does not seem sufficiently up-to-date.

Yet, if the reader will skip lightly over certain distressing descriptions of conditions in the early days, and will concentrate his attention on the more recent facts, the book will well repay reading. It is, however, not a book of reference and is popular in tone, rather than scientific. R. E. DODGE.

The Teaching of Geography. By William J. Sutherland. pp. 292 and Illustrations. Chicago, Scott, Foresman & Company, 1909. $1.25.

This is the latest addition to a phase of geography that is receiving much attention, but on which there are few inclusive contributions. The book is divided into three parts, entitled "The Nature and Scope of Geography," "The Teaching of Geography" and "Practical Suggestions." Part 1 is devoted to a discussion of certain phases of geography, with a view to bringing out the importance of an understanding of the reasons for human geographic conditions over the world. The author shows the relation of other subjects to geography and gives an excellent outline of the right point of view for the teacher, in two brief discussions of the geography of New England and of Illinois.

Part 2 discusses the necessary preparation of a teacher of geography, giving somewhat undue prominence to certain phases of physical geography, and includes a treatment of inductive and deductive lessons, together with certain other topics. The teacher who has acquired the author's point of view in reference to the scope and purpose of geography will find these outlines pertinent and helpful.

The third portion of the volume deals with the value and use of illustrative materials, of maps and models, and includes outlines for the study of weather and soils. The volume closes with an extensive—too extensive—bibliography and with a reference list for map equipment.

This outline does not give an adequate impression of the value of the volume. The author has done an important piece of work in making available for the average teacher what the better teachers have long been practicing. He has presented the value and importance of the human side of geography better than it has been presented before for teachers, in an inclusive way.

Yet the book lacks a certain strength in that it is discursive and the parts are not well knit together. Hence the thoughtful teacher will find the volume lacking in unity and incisiveness. In spite of these defects, however, the volume is a distinct addition to our literature on geography teaching, and the author deserves high praise for his success in helping elementary school teachers.

R. E. DODGE.

Robert Fulton and the "Clermont." The authoritative Story of Robert Fulton's Early Experiments, persistent Efforts and historic Achievements. Containing many of Fulton's hitherto unpublished Letters, Drawings and Pictures. By Alice Crary Sutcliffe. xv and 367 pp., 30 Illustrations. Appendix and Index. The Century Co., New York, 1909. $1.20 net.

This is an authoritative, interesting account of the life and engineering projects of Robert Fulton, culminating in a description of the famous Clermont and of its early trips on the Hudson. The writer is a great-granddaughter of the inventor. The volume contains many reproductions of pictures of people associated with Fulton, of Fulton himself, and of his various studies for steamboats.